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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Applicant hereby petitions for a THREE-month extension, a petition pursuant to 37

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In response to the Office Action dated October 3, 2002, please amend the subject
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I, Linda S. Chan, Reg. No. 42,400, attorney of record herein, do hereby grant a sub-power of attorney to Samson Helfgott, Reg. No. 23,072, Brian S. Myers, Reg. No. 46,947, Thomas J. Bean, Reg. No. 44,528, Harris A. Wolin, Reg. No. 39,432, Michael Markowitz, Reg. No. 30,659, Serle Mosoff, Reg. No. 25,900 and Emma Shleifer, Reg. No. 29,734 to act and sign in my behalf in the above-referenced application.

It is respectfully requested that any future correspondence regarding the application be directed to Applicant's attorneys (previously appointed) at the following new

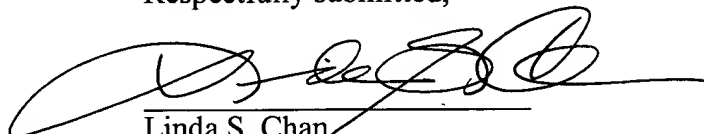
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Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Linda S. Chan', written over a horizontal line.

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